

High School Graduation Requirements

<i>Current Requirements</i>		<i>Class of 2012</i>		<i>Class of 2013</i>	
English	4 credits	English	4 credits	English	4 credits
Math	2 credits	Math⁽¹⁾	3 credits	Math⁽¹⁾	4 credits
Science	2 credits	Science	2 credits	Science⁽²⁾	3 credits
Social Studies	2.5 credits	Social Studies⁽²⁾	3 credits	Social Studies	3 credits
CTE/Fine Art	1 credit	CTE/Fine Art	1 credit	CTE/Fine Art	1 credit
Electives	8.5 credits	Electives	7 credits	Electives	7 credits
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Total	20 credits	Total	20 credits	Total	22 credits
		⁽¹⁾ Math courses shall consist of Algebra I, Geometry and an additional course with substantial math content as determined by districts or charter schools.		⁽¹⁾ Math courses shall consist of Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II (or its equivalent) and an additional course with substantial math content as determined by districts or charter schools.	
		⁽²⁾ Social Studies shall consist of one credit of American History, one credit of World History/Geography, one-half credit of government and one-half credit of economics.		⁽²⁾ Science courses shall prepare students for the high school AIMS test (life science). A.R.S. § 15-203 prohibits the SBE from adopting changes to these requirements that will impact “capital costs.”	